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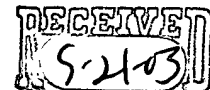
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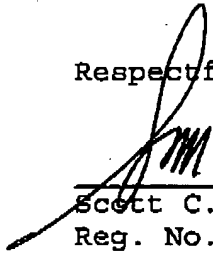
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In Response to the Notice of Restriction dated 04/22/03, paper no. 5 in the above-referenced case, applicant herewith elects group 5 claims 46-59 without traverse. Kindly retain the non-elected claims as withdrawn from consideration. However, should all other claims be allowable, applicant will consent to cancellation of the non-elected claims by examiner's amendment see MPEP 821.02.


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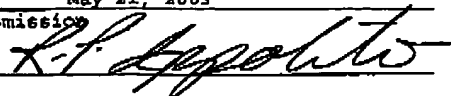
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